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Examiner:

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a) and in conformance with the procedures of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97-98 and M.P.E.P. § 609, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

The above-referenced application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of the following applications:

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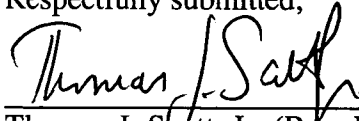
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CERTIFICATION AND/OR FEE

Since this IDS is being filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) before the later of three months after the filing date of the above-referenced application or the date of receipt of the first Office action on the merits, no certification or fee is required.

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